IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Stephan et al.

Art Unit: 2624 Application No. 10/573,103

Examiner: Hong Tam L. Phan

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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR THE

TRANSFER OF COMMUNICATION NETWORK ADMINISTRATION

INFORMATION

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 12, 2009

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action of August 12, 2009, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and remarks and reconsideration in view thereof:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.